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**Spring 2  
2024**

### Message of the week

Dear Parents/Carers, it's the end of the Spring Term and it has been an incredibly busy one with so much to be proud of and celebrate. Lots of Fantastic learning has taken place both for pupils and staff as the children bring something new for us each day that makes us smile or think.

We had a visit from Jess O'Sullivan one of our governors this Monday who looked at the learning and assessment and chatted to the children as well as being toured by our Deputy Head boy and girl.

We had our first completely pupil-led assembly from idea-delivery about Walter Tull, on the anniversary of his death, to celebrate a man fought in the first World War. Walter became an exception to the rule that only white-British born people could train as an officer. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zbgxbdm>

**Well done to Amirah 5K and her friends! We have now set up a weekly pupil-led assembly for the Summer Term.**

**The Crescent Team would like to thank the entire school community for your constant support!  
We will be welcoming you back to school on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024.**



What an Amazing turn out we had today for our **Cultural Day**. Thank You parents/carers. Children and staff made a fabulous contribution in dressing up in their cultural outfits. We were so proud to see everyone representing their countries and culture as we came together as a whole school for morning assembly to launch the day. It was wonderful to see the work produced and this will be celebrated on the diversity display boards in each classroom.

We are so thankful to two parents who came in to talk about their culture. We would love to see more parents sharing with us in our next events – invites to follow...

Mrs Douglas would like to say a Big Thank you to everyone who entered our **World Book Day Character Competition**. It was a hard decision- The winners were- Jabril-1H Beatrice-2M Eli-5K Ianis- 6S



### **Important Dates**

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> April- School re-open  
Year 1 dress up for their new topic

**Tues 16<sup>th</sup> April- Parent Evening**

CALAT English Class for Parents

Wed 17<sup>th</sup> April- Baby & Toddler Group

**Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> April- Parent Evening**



# Check out our learning gallery:

The Lighthouse Nurture-Paper Mache Easter Eggs and painted them.

Year 1- PSHE emotions lesson and Old Croydonians visit to talk through the history of the school.

Year 2- Eagerly awaiting their butterflies to hatch

Year 5 & 6- Visit from the community Police, the children enjoyed trying out the police equipment

Cultural Day-The whole school came together to celebrate our rich and diverse community.

Mrs Missons-Subject Leader for art would like to congratulate The Crescent's Art Ambassadors

Rocksteady Concert- Proud Parents came to see their child's performance-Well done everyone!

Year 3- Workshop with Pastor Rob-To learn about the significance of Easter.

Year 5-Horniman Gardens- Links to this terms topic work of Roots, Shoots and Fruits

